DISTRICT REPORTS.

8 Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that the raiyats are engaged in ploughing lands to sow paddy and potatoes in parts of Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and the weeding operation is going on in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. There were good showers during the week throughout the District.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, avare, togari and jola are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is being harvested in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. Standing crops such as ragi, avare, togari, horsegram, sugarcane and groundnuts in Bowringpet, Chintamani and Mulbagal Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; paddy and jola in Sidlaghatta, and Bagepalli taluks and same in Bowringpet and Mulbagal taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy and jola in Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and groundnuts in Chintamani Taluk are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Giddaragi and same are being harvested in Goribidnur Taluk and groundnuts in Chintamani and Mulbagal Taluks.

Some of the Tanks in Mulbagal Taluk are reported to be discharging.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Jola in parts of Madhugiri and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, paddy in parts of Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut and paddy in Tumkur Taluk; nati ragi in Madhugiri Taluk and Sira Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas. Groundnut in Gubbi Taluk; yield 12 to 16 annas. Nati ragi and navane in Pavagada Taluk; yield 4-6 annas. Sugar-cane and groundnut in Kunigal Taluk, nati ragi, and groundnut in Koratagere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, khulthi, jholam, navane, haraka, baragu, save, green and black-grams, cotton, castor, ginger, groundnut are reported to be in good condition due to recent rains in all parts of the District.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair and improving.

11. Water and fodder are available and the cattle are reported to be healthy.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9.—1. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

2. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse-gram in parts of Seringapatam, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Mandya Taluks and paddy, ragi, horse-gram, castor, tobacco, sugar-cane, cotton, avare, togari, huchellu in parts of Yedatore Taluk and other standing crops in the rest of the taluks are reported to be in good condition.

3. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Black Quarter prevails in Kabbahalli, Mandya Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been addressed in the matter for taking necessary preventive and remedial measures.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Kadle is being sown in the Arkalgud Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi, kulthi, avare and togari in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; kadle and chillies in the Hassan Taluk and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be generally good.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane and ragi are being harvested in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Standing crops in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks are reported to be in need of more rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Bengal-gram and belejolum are being sown in the Channagiri Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi; Ragi, jola, horse-gram and cotton in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; Arecanut in the Taluks of Sorab Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar, and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluks, ragi in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri Honnali and Shikarpur, jola in the Channagiri Taluk are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair. Food grains are available and their prices are reported to be stationary.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for rinderpest in Bannur Village in the Shikarpur Taluk and in Bhyranakoppa Village in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk (ಗೊರಕನಕೊಪ್ಪಜಾನ) is prevailing in Nelavagalu Village of Shikarpur Taluk. The Veterinary Department is taking remedial measures in the matter.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets were well supplied.

9.—1. *Agricultural Operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Kadur, Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks.

2. *Crops sown.*—Horse-gram, coriander and bengal-gram in the Chikmagalur Taluk; wheat and Bengal-gram in the Kadur Taluk.

3. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane and ragi in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the district. Avare, jholam, til, cotton, wheat, coriander, castor and chillies in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks; Groundnut and thogari in the Kadur Taluk; Coffee in the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere

Taluks; cardamom in the Mudgere Taluk; Arecanut in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District are reported to be in good condition. The coffee plants in some of the Estates of Banakal and Balur Hoblis of the Mudgere Taluk are reported to be suffering from leaf-rot, die-back and stump-rot.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Ragi, Cardamom and arecanut in the Chikmagalur Taluk; Jolam in the Kadur Taluk; Arecanut and cardamom in the Mudgere and Koppa Taluks; Arecanut in the Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. But it is reported that Rinderpest is prevailing in Aldur and Devadana Villages, Chikmagalur Taluk, Kalasa Hobli in the Mudgere Taluk and in Kanabur Village, Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to be taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing operations are reported to be going on in the Taluks of Chitaldrug, Davangere and Hosdurga.

State of Standing crops.—Jola, groundnut, black-gram, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare, togari, kulthi, navane, cotton, castor, bilijola, save, sajje, green-gram and wheat are reported to be in good condition without being damaged by insects or other natural calamities.

Crops harvested with their outturn—Chitaldrug—Jola and groundnut; 4 annas; Challakere—Doddaragi (6 annas); Holalkere—Ragi (8 annas); Davangere—Navane, cotton, ragi and paddy (8 annas); Molakalmuru—Ragi (8 annas); Jagalur—Groundnut (6 annas); Harihar—Ragi and navane (8 to 12 annas.)

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug—Bilijola and Bengal gram (ಕಡಲೆ) Holalkere—Bilijola and groundnut; Davangere—Bilijola; Hosdurga—Bengal gram; Harihar—Bilijola.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Chappe roga in Obalapur Village of Challakere Taluk and Anturoga in Palakehalli, Chikkapur and Doddaghatta Villages of the Chitaldrug Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors are attending to put down the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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Absent from station.